

FIRE RESTRICTIONS

IN EFFECT - JULY 19, 2023



On ALL BLM-managed public lands
in Harney County



CAMPFIRES

PROHIBITED: Campfires and wood stove and smoker fires, including charcoal briquette fires and portable braziers, anywhere on public land in Harney County, anytime, except in established fire rings at Fish Lake and Jackman Park campgrounds.

PERMITTED: Liquified and bottled gas stoves and heaters, and generators with an approved spark arrestor within an area at least 10 feet in diameter and barren of all flammable material.



DRIVING/PARKING

PROHIBITED: Operating or parking a motorized vehicle, or any type of internal combustion engine, in an area that is not clear of flammable material berm to berm. [This prohibits all cross-country travel until this order is rescinded.] Operating any type of motorcycle or ATV/UTV/Side-by-side, etc. not equipped with an approved and fully-functioning spark arrestor.



**Maintain
Spark
Arrestor**



CHAINSAWS

PERMITTED: Personal chainsaw use is permitted ONLY after 8 p.m. and before 1 p.m., local time. A 1-hour fire watch is required at the cease of operations.

For industrial users/commercial woodworkers, the Industrial Fire Precaution Level is ONE.



SHOOTING/FIREWORKS

PROHIBITED: Possession, discharge or use of any type of fireworks or other pyrotechnic device, including exploding targets, or tracer or incendiary ammunition. Shooting at or any other use of metal targets is also prohibited. Sky lanterns are always illegal in Oregon airspace.



SMOKING

PROHIBITED: Smoking outside, except in a vehicle, or on a watercraft in rivers or lakes, in areas not clear of flammable vegetation at least 6 feet in diameter.



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